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### **AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 01/04/2006, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.